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## **Tips for Avoiding Caregiver Burnout**

This fact sheet from the American Geriatrics Society's Health in Aging Foundation – <u>Tips for Avoiding Caregiver Burnout</u> - provides strategies for avoiding caregiver burnout:

- 1. get information;
- 2. help your loved one help himself or herself;
- 3. ask trustworthy, family, friends and neighbors for assistance;
- 4. take care of yourself, too;
- 5. don't take it personally;
- 6. talk about it; and
- 7. contact professionals and organizations that assist caregivers.

Also provides key resources and programs to help you find the help you need.

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